

## House Resolution No. 2847

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives regard the birth of a child as one of life's most rewarding and miraculous events; and

**Whereas**, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that this legislative body pauses to acknowledge the arrival of a very special addition to the citizenry of the great state of Missouri: Abigail Kaitlynd Oetting; and

**Whereas**, on April 15, 2003, little Abigail Kaitlynd Oetting was born to proud and loving parents Michael Oetting, an employee of Ameren UE, and Melanie Oetting, an employee of AMC.; and

**Whereas**, it was on that memorable day that Abigail Kaitlynd was welcomed into the world by the faces of her smiling parents, who had been anxiously awaiting the birth of their third child; and

**Whereas**, Abigail Kaitlynd tipped the baby scales at nine pounds and twelve ounces upon her birth at Audrain Medical Center in Mexico; and

**Whereas**, Abigail Kaitlynd has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of her brothers, Austin and Wesley; her grandparents, Kenny Smith of Mexico and Bill and Katie Findley of Holts Summit; and her great-grandmother, Louida Thomas of Huntsville; and

**Whereas**, Abigail Kaitlynd will undoubtedly receive a lifetime of love, support, and encouragement from all the devoted members of her family who have welcomed her into their hearts as a precious gift from God:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in welcoming Abigail Kaitlynd Oetting to her first days of Missouri citizenship, and in extending our most heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to her proud parents at the beginning of a new life together as a family of five; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Michael and Melanie Oetting of Mexico, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Steve Hobbs  
District No. 21

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2847, adopted May 13, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker